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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on November 22, 1999, to which a response is due on May 22, 2000, by virtue of the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the appropriate fee. Also enclosed is a Notice of Appeal and the appropriate fee.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions for an extension of time of three months, to and including May 22, 2000, in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated

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